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WEEKLY EARNINGS DATA AVAILABLE FOR FIRST QUARTER 1980

The average weekly earnings in South Dakota for first quarter 1980 was $206.94. This is an increase of $14.96 a week or 7.8 percent over the same quarter last year. There was virtually no change though from last quarter 1979 through first quarter 1980. Table A on page three, from the ES-202 Report illustrates average weekly wages by industry for first quarter 1979 and first quarter 1980.

The South Dakota ES-202 Report for First Quarter 1980 is complete and contains information for Statewide and for each county on employment and wages covered by unemployment insurance. Data on the number of employing units, employment, total wages and average weekly wages for the nine major private industries and federal, state and local government are included. Wages include bonuses and draws paid to corporation officers and part time and overtime earnings.

There was a range of $103.64 between the county with the highest and lowest weekly earnings. The average employee in Minnehaha county earned $246.43 and the average employee in Mellette county earned $137.79.

Copies of the first quarter 202 may be obtained from Research and Statistics, SD. Dept. of Labor Box 1730, Aberdeen, SD 57401.

The South Dakota ES-202 Report for Second Qtr. 1980 will be published in December 1980 and may also be requested. The projected second quarter 1980 South Dakota average weekly earnings is $206.81 which would be down from first quarter.

LABOR FORCE

Unemployment rose again in South Dakota in October after dropping in September. The October rate was 5.7% compared with 5.4% in September and 5.6% in August. It appears now that the 1980 annual average unemployment rate for South Dakota will be 4.7%. That will be the highest annual unemployment rate recorded since estimates have been made. The next highest rate in recent years was 3.7% in 1975 following the last recession.

The bright spot in the latest labor statistics for the state was employment which was higher than the previous month for the first time since January of this year. Total employment in October was 316,700 compared with 316,500 in September, although it remained almost 4% below the year-ago figure of 328,900.

There was 2,813 intial claims for unemployment compensation in October compared with 1,802 in September and 1,229 in October last year. The Unemployment Trust Fund was $12,018,000 in October or 23.7% below the year ago figure of $15,753,500.

NONAGRICULTURAL WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT

Nonfarm payroll employment was also slightly below the year ago levels. The October total of 239,400 was 0.5% below the October 1979 figure of 243,300. Nonmanufacturing employment which is most susceptible to changes in the economy, continued to be the hardest hit among the major industries. A 10% industry wide over-the-year drop in that sector was the result of the general economic slump in the state and the nation.

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The decline in construction employment in the state seems to be abating. The October drop of 1.5% was smaller than the average September-October drop, and, although it will be a long winter for many construction workers, it is expected that business will pick up this spring as interest rates begin to fall.

Retail trade employment remained below the year ago level. The October figure was 48,500 compared with 50,000 one year ago.

Mining, services, and finance/insurance/real estate employment was at or above year ago levels in October. Mining employment was unchanged at 3,000 while services was up 1.6% at 49,700 and finance/insurance/real estate grew 5.3% to 12,000.

HOURS AND EARNINGS

The average private-industry production or nonsupervisory worker in South Dakota worked 33.0 hours a week in October at $5.72 an hour for a gross weekly wage of $188.76. The average hours worked was down from 34.3 one year ago while the average hourly pay was up from $5.28.

SIOUX FALLS SMSA

The Sioux Falls seasonally adjusted unemployment rate rose to 6.1% in October from 5.7% in September. It was also more than double the year ago rate of 2.7%. There were 3,460 Sioux Falls residents unemployed in October compared with 3,300 in September and 1,670 in October 1979.

Total employment dropped again in October to 53,300. That compared with 54,400 in September and 50,380 in October one year ago.

Nonfarm payroll employment was also down in October. The October figure of 50,380 was -0.7 below the September figure of 50,740 and 7.2% below 54,280 in October 1979. The only major industry to show a gain in employment over the past year was services which was up 1.7% at 12,190. Construction was down 23% at 2,280 while manufacturing was off 15% at 6,630.

The average private production or nonsupervisory worker in Sioux Falls worked 35.0 hours a week in October at $6.55 an hour for a gross weekly wage of $229.25.

RAPID CITY SMSA

Unemployment was also higher in Rapid City in October. The seasonally adjusted rate for that month was 6.4% compared with 5.8% in September and 3.8 in October last year. The total number of Rapid City SMSA residents unemployed in October was 2,730 compared with 2,520 in September and 1,680 in October 1979.

Total employment of 39,970 in October was 1.9% below the September figure of 40,760 and 5.2% below the October 1979 figure of 42,170.

Total nonfarm payroll employment in Pennington county in October was 30,730. That represented a seasonal drop of 3.5% from the September figure of 31,850 but was only slightly below the October year ago figure of 30,880. Manufacturing employment was up 8.4% at 3,500 from last year while nonmanufacturing dropped 1.5%. Among the nonmanufacturing industries construction employment was down 14.4%. Services employment, on the other hand, shows a healthy 10% increase.

The average private nonsupervisory or production worker in Rapid City worked 31.9 hours a week in October at $5.74 an hour for a gross weekly wage of $183.11.

INSURED UNEMPLOYMENT REMAINS HIGH

The number of persons drawing unemployment insurance benefits from covered employment increas-

ed slightly during the survey week in October as compared to the September figure of 3,454 claimants. However, the 3,550 persons drawing benefits was 2.8 times greater than the 1,247 persons recorded during the same survey week in 1979.

Male unemployment continued to overshadow that of females when compared to the previous year. During the October 1979 survey week, 43.5 percent of the claimants were male whereas 1980 saw this figure rise to 59.1 percent. Female unemployment predominated in the durable manufacturing segment, electrical and electronic equipment and supplies, and the nondurable manufacturing categories, apparel and products made from fabrics along with chemicals and allied.

Employment varies by industry. Based on September wage and salary industry employment, unemployed persons associated with finance/insurance/real estate and government employment accounted for approximately 0.5 percent of the respective employment. For those claimants formerly employed in the transportation/public utility/communication, mining, trade & service industries, the unemployment percentage averaged slightly over 1.0 percent. As a product of the recession, the manufacturing industry showed a rate of 3.8 percent with the highest rate recorded in the construction industry with a 5.2 percent figure.

Within the manufacturing industry, male unemployment predominated in the durable goods sector. The main concentration of unemployed persons were for those formerly engaged in the manufacturing of machinery, excluding electrical. Conversly, female unemployment accounted for 78.8 percent of the unemployed in the nondurable sector. Persons formerly engaged in the production of apparel & fabrics made from fabrics accounted for 65.4 percent of all nondurable unemployed with females accounting for 94.8 percent of those total persons.

TABLE A
COUNTY ES 202 MAJOR INDUSTRY
FIRST QUARTER REPORT

TOTAL MAJOR INDUSTRY	1ST QTR. 1979 AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS	1ST QTR. 1980 AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS
Agri. Forestry & Fish	176.16	190.77
Mining	305.60	344.40
Contract Construction	238.16	264.03
Manufacturing	236.80	254.24
Trans., Comm., & Util.	275.05	294.32
Wholesale Trade	243.87	264.19
Retail Trade	125.22	132.89
Financing, Ins., & R. E.	208.25	230.84
Services	147.98	159.82
Total Private	185.83	201.07
Federal Govt.	301.24	322.45
State Govt.	242.20	256.54
Local Govt.	164.46	175.91
Total	191.98	206.94

TABLE 1

LABOR FORCE*

	Oct. 1980	Sept. 1980	Oct. 1979	PERCENT CHANGE FROM LAST MONTH	PERCENT CHANGE FROM LAST YEAR
SOUTH DAKOTA STATEWIDE					
Labor Force	335,600	341,000	340,900	-1.6	-1.6
Seasonally Adjusted	335,800	334,600	340,400	0.4	-1.4
Employment	319,200	326,700	331,900	-2.3	-3.8
Seasonally Adjusted	316,700	316,500	328,900	0.1	-3.7
Unemployment	16,400	14,300	8,900	14.7	84.3
Seasonally Adjusted	19,100	18,100	11,500	5.5	66.0
Unemployment Rate	4.9	4.2	2.6	-	-
Seasonally Adjusted	5.7	5.4	3.4	-	-
SIOUX FALLS SMSA (MINNEHAHA COUNTY)					
Labor Force	56,260	57,040	61,800	-1.4	-9.0
Seasonally Adjusted	56,760	57,700	62,050	-1.6	-8.5
Employment	53,460	54,460	60,560	-1.8	-11.7
Seasonally Adjusted	53,300	54,400	60,380	-2.0	-11.7
Unemployment	2,800	2,580	1,240	8.5	125.8
Seasonally Adjusted	3,460	3,300	1,670	4.8	107.2
Unemployment Rate	5.0	4.5	2.0	-	-
Seasonally Adjusted	6.1	5.7	2.7	-	-
RAPID CITY SMSA (PENNINGTON AND MEADE)					
Labor Force	42,610	44,040	43,760	-3.2	-2.6
Seasonally Adjusted	42,700	43,280	43,850	-1.3	-2.6
Employment	40,130	41,940	42,340	-4.3	-5.2
Seasonally Adjusted	39,970	40,760	42,170	-1.9	-5.2
Unemployment	2,480	2,100	1,420	18.1	74.6
Seasonally Adjusted	2,730	2,520	1,680	8.3	62.5
Unemployment Rate	5.8	4.8	3.2	-	-
Seasonally Adjusted	6.4	5.8	3.8	-	-

* Labor Force estimates relate to unduplicated employed and unemployed civilians 16 years old and older by place of residence.

TABLE 2

SOUTH DAKOTA NONAGRICULTURAL WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT*
(in thousands)

	Oct. 1980	Sept. 1980	Oct. 1979	PERCENT CHANGE FROM LAST MONTH	PERCENT CHANGE FROM LAST YEAR
Total Nonagricultural	239.4	240.6	243.3	-0.5	-1.6
Manufacturing	24.6	24.6	27.6	0.0	-10.9
Durable Goods	11.7	11.6	13.2	0.9	-11.4
Lumber & Furniture	0.9	0.9	1.5	0.0	-40.0
Fabricated Metals & Machinery	7.7	7.6	8.5	1.3	-9.4
Other Durable Goods	3.1	3.1	3.2	0.0	-3.1
Nondurable Goods	12.9	13.0	14.4	-0.8	-10.4
Food & Kindred Products	7.9	7.9	8.8	0.0	-10.2
Paper, Printing & Publishing	2.4	2.4	2.3	0.0	4.3
Other Nondurable Goods	2.6	2.7	3.3	-3.7	-21.2
Nonmanufacturing	214.8	216.0	215.7	-0.6	-0.4
Mining	3.0	3.0	3.0	0.0	0.0
Construction	12.9	13.1	13.7	-1.5	-5.8
Transportation & Public Utilities	13.5	13.6	13.9	-0.7	-2.9
Railroads	1.1	1.2	1.4	-8.3	-21.4
Other Transportation	6.7	6.7	6.7	0.0	0.0
Communications & Public Utilities	5.7	5.7	5.8	0.0	-1.7
Trade	64.9	66.4	67.1	-2.3	-3.3
Wholesale Trade	16.4	16.5	17.1	-0.6	-4.1
Durable Goods	7.4	7.6	8.2	-2.6	-9.8
Nondurable Goods	9.0	8.9	8.9	1.1	1.1
Retail Trade	48.5	49.9	50.0	-2.8	-3.0
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	12.0	12.2	11.4	-1.6	5.3
Services	49.7	50.3	48.9	-1.2	1.6
Hotels, Amuse., Pers. & Business	12.9	13.9	13.3	-7.2	-3.0
Medical and Health	20.4	20.0	18.9	2.0	7.9
Educational, Membership & Social	13.7	13.7	13.9	0.0	-1.4
Other	2.7	2.7	2.8	0.0	-3.6
Government	58.8	57.4	57.7	2.4	1.9
Federal	11.1	11.0	10.5	0.9	5.7
State	16.0	15.6	15.8	2.3	1.3
State Education	7.8	7.4	8.0	5.4	-2.5
Other	8.2	8.2	7.8	0.0	5.1
Local	31.7	30.9	31.4	2.6	1.0
Local Education	18.9	17.2	18.4	9.9	2.7
Other Local	12.8	13.7	13.0	-6.6	-1.5

* This category includes full and part-time workers on the payrolls of nonagricultural establishments for the week including the 12th of the month.

TABLE 3

SIOUX FALLS AND RAPID CITY NONAGRICULTURAL WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT

	Oct. 1980	Sept. 1980	Oct. 1979	PERCENT CHANGE FROM LAST MONTH	PERCENT CHANGE FROM LAST YEAR
SIOUX FALLS SMSA (MINNEHAHA COUNTY)					
Total Nonagricultural	50,380	50,740	54,280	-0.7	-7.2
Manufacturing	6,630	6,730	7,810	-1.5	-15.1
Durable Goods	1,580	1,640	1,950	-3.7	-19.0
Nondurable Goods	5,050	5,090	5,860	-0.8	-13.8
Food & Kindred Products	3,660	3,700	4,400	-1.1	-16.8
Nonmanufacturing	43,750	44,010	46,470	-0.6	-5.9
Construction and Mining	2,280	2,420	2,980	-5.8	-23.5
Transportation & Public Utilities	4,560	4,560	4,980	0.0	-8.4
Trade	14,740	14,920	16,160	-1.2	-8.8
Wholesale Trade	4,540	4,590	4,730	-1.1	-4.0
Retail Trade	10,200	10,330	11,430	-1.3	-10.8
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	3,340	3,450	3,660	-3.2	-8.7
Services	12,190	12,020	11,990	1.4	1.7
Government	6,640	6,640	6,700	0.0	-0.9
RAPID CITY AREA (PENNINGTON COUNTY)					
Total Nonagricultural	30,730	31,850	30,880	-3.5	-0.5
Manufacturing	3,500	3,450	3,230	1.4	8.4
Durable Goods	2,720	2,640	2,420	3.0	12.4
Nondurable Goods	780	810	810	-3.7	-3.7
Nonmanufacturing	27,230	28,400	27,650	-4.1	-1.5
Construction and Mining	2,430	2,450	2,840	-0.8	-14.4
Transportation & Public Utilities	1,770	1,760	1,970	0.6	-10.2
Trade	9,130	9,840	9,470	-7.2	-3.6
Wholesale Trade	1,420	1,440	1,460	-1.4	-2.7
Retail Trade	7,710	8,400	8,010	-8.2	-3.7
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	1,270	1,320	1,380	-3.8	-8.0
Services	6,830	7,280	6,200	-6.2	10.2
Government	5,800	5,750	5,790	0.9	0.2

TABLE 4

HOURS AND EARNINGS OR PRODUCTION OR NONSUPERVISORY WORKERS*

	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS		
	Oct. 1980	Sept. 1980	Oct. 1979	Oct. 1980	Sept. 1980	Oct. 1979	Oct. 1980	Sept. 1980	Oct. 1979
SOUTH DAKOTA STATEWIDE									
TOTAL PRIVATE NONAGRICULTURAL	188.76	190.66	181.10	33.0	33.1	34.3	5.72	5.76	5.28
MANUFACTURING	271.21	279.35	249.42	40.6	40.9	41.5	6.68	6.83	6.01
DURABLE GOODS	232.66	247.34	219.45	39.5	41.5	41.8	5.89	5.96	5.25
LUMBER & FURNITURE	245.22	261.88	210.40	40.6	41.9	40.0	6.04	6.25	5.26
FABRICATED METALS AND MACH	224.99	223.87	211.23	38.2	38.4	40.7	5.89	5.83	5.19
NONDURABLE GOODS	304.93	307.80	276.86	41.6	40.5	41.2	7.33	7.60	6.72
FOOD AND KINDRED PRODUCTS	355.18	359.80	324.10	43.0	41.5	42.2	8.26	8.67	7.68
MEAT PRODUCTS	439.26	451.86	436.00	45.9	43.7	50.0	9.57	10.34	8.72
OTHER FOOD PRODUCTS	209.00	217.17	214.93	38.0	38.1	40.4	5.50	5.70	5.32
PAPER, PRINTING & PUBLISHING	232.87	219.30	212.37	36.5	34.7	39.4	6.38	6.32	5.39
NONMANUFACTURING	178.18	179.44	170.98	32.1	32.1	33.2	5.56	5.59	5.15
MINING	380.66	386.26	340.30	40.8	41.4	41.0	9.33	9.33	8.30
CONSTRUCTION	298.34	344.11	324.75	37.2	42.8	42.9	8.02	8.04	7.57
TRANSPORTATION & P.U.	310.46	309.64	284.89	38.0	37.9	39.9	8.17	8.17	7.14
COMMUNICATIONS & P.U.	334.62	334.15	298.72	39.0	38.9	39.1	8.58	8.59	7.64
TRADE	154.98	151.84	147.70	31.5	30.8	31.9	4.92	4.93	4.63
WHOLESALE TRADE	242.65	237.60	220.80	38.7	38.2	38.4	6.27	6.22	5.75
RETAIL TRADE	127.75	125.40	123.26	29.3	28.5	29.7	4.36	4.40	4.15
AUTO DEALERS & SERV. STATION	211.08	211.10	225.59	45.2	45.3	49.8	4.67	4.66	4.53
OTHER RETAIL	116.26	114.14	108.54	27.1	26.3	26.8	4.29	4.34	4.05
FINANCE, INS. & R.E.	180.41	174.93	157.88	36.3	35.7	35.8	4.97	4.90	4.41
BANKING	148.62	151.64	137.02	33.7	33.4	34.0	4.41	4.54	4.03
SERVICES	131.67	131.21	123.55	28.5	28.4	29.7	4.62	4.62	4.16
SIOUX FALLS SMSA									
TOTAL PRIVATE NONAGRICULTURAL	229.25	232.12	220.82	35.0	34.8	36.2	6.55	6.67	6.10
MANUFACTURING	381.15	382.34	341.82	45.0	43.3	44.8	8.47	8.83	7.63
DURABLE GOODS	258.57	274.39	228.34	39.0	41.7	42.6	6.63	6.58	5.36
NONDURABLE GOODS	407.44	404.17	369.10	46.3	43.6	45.4	8.80	9.27	8.13
FOOD AND KINDRED PRODUCTS	457.84	454.08	406.56	47.2	44.0	46.2	9.70	10.32	8.80
NONMANUFACTURING	205.08	208.71	199.18	33.4	33.5	34.7	6.14	6.23	5.74
CONSTRUCTION & MINING	304.52	357.24	360.91	33.1	39.3	41.2	9.20	9.09	8.76
TRANSPORTATION & P.U.	304.97	295.50	292.32	39.3	37.5	42.8	7.76	7.88	6.83
TRADE	190.40	196.42	178.49	32.0	32.2	33.3	5.95	6.10	5.36
WHOLESALE TRADE	294.13	285.75	265.36	38.1	37.5	37.8	7.72	7.62	7.02
RETAIL TRADE	148.38	160.13	143.18	29.5	30.1	31.4	5.03	5.32	4.56
FINANCE, INS. & R.E.	166.21	167.89	155.48	32.4	32.6	33.8	5.13	5.15	4.60
RAPID CITY AREA									
TOTAL PRIVATE NONAGRICULTURAL	183.11	185.40	196.20	31.9	32.3	36.2	5.74	5.74	5.42
MANUFACTURING	216.81	218.75	195.36	32.9	32.6	35.2	6.59	6.71	5.55
NONMANUFACTURING	182.79	184.76	196.20	31.9	32.3	36.2	5.73	5.72	5.42
CONSTRUCTION & MINING	351.65	390.44	340.99	40.7	45.4	44.4	8.64	8.60	7.68
TRADE	144.74	140.22	158.93	29.3	28.5	34.7	4.94	4.92	4.58
FINANCE, INS. & R.E.	162.58	163.20	158.11	33.8	34.0	32.4	4.81	4.80	4.88

*Average hours and earnings data are derived from reports of payrolls and hours for production and related workers in manufacturing and mining, construction workers in construction, and nonsupervisory employees in the remaining private nonagricultural components.

Table 5
LABOR TURNOVER RATES
(per 100 employees)

Accession Rates

	Total			New Hires			Recalls		
	Oct. 1980	Sept. 1980	Oct. 1979	Oct. 1980	Sept. 1980	Oct. 1979	Oct. 1980	Sept. 1980	Oct. 1979
Statewide									
Manufacturing.....	3.3	2.4	4.9	2.4	1.4	4.4	0.7	0.9	0.2
Durable Goods.....	2.6	2.2	5.6	1.8	1.1	5.2	0.5	0.8	0.2
Nondurable Goods...	3.8	2.6	4.3	3.0	1.6	3.7	0.9	0.9	0.3
Mining.....	1.1	2.1	4.3	1.0	2.0	4.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Sioux Falls SMSA									
Manufacturing.....	3.1	2.3	4.5	1.5	1.0	3.9	1.6	1.3	0.6

Separation Rates

	Total			Quits			Layoffs		
	Oct. 1980	Sept. 1980	Oct. 1979	Oct. 1980	Sept. 1980	Oct. 1979	Oct. 1980	Sept. 1980	Oct. 1979
Statewide									
Manufacturing.....	3.2	3.6	4.2	1.3	1.5	3.2	1.1	1.7	0.3
Durable Goods.....	2.8	3.3	5.4	1.2	1.8	4.0	0.5	0.8	0.3
Nondurable Goods...	3.6	3.8	3.1	1.4	1.1	2.4	1.7	2.4	0.2
Mining.....	4.1	3.5	3.6	0.7	1.2	2.2	2.6	1.8	1.1
Sioux Falls SMSA									
Manufacturing.....	3.1	4.1	3.5	1.2	1.3	2.6	1.4	2.6	0.1

Table 6
CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
ALL URBAN CONSUMERS

1967=100	CURRENT MONTH Sept. 1980	LAST MONTH Aug. 1980	ONE YEAR AGO Sept. 1979	PERCENT CHANGE FROM Last MONTH	Last YEAR
All Items.....	251.7	249.4	223.4	0.9	12.7
Food & Beverages...	254.2	252.0	231.0	0.9	10.0
Housing.....	267.7	265.8	234.6	0.7	14.1
Apparel.....	182.2	178.6	169.8	2.0	7.3
Transportation.....	254.7	252.7	221.4	0.8	15.0
Medical Care.....	270.6	268.4	243.7	0.8	11.0
Entertainment.....	209.8	208.0	191.1	0.9	9.8

TABLE 7

CHARACTERISTICS OF THE INSURED UNEMPLOYED - STATEWIDE

	NUMBER			PERCENT		
	Oct. 80	Sept. 80	Oct. 79	Oct. 80	Sept. 80	Oct. 79
Sex, Total	3,550	3,454	1,247	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male	2,097	2,093	543	59.1	60.6	43.5
Female	1,453	1,361	704	40.9	39.4	56.5
Race, Total	3,550	3,454	1,247	100.0	100.0	100.0
White	2,947	2,841	916	83.0	82.3	73.5
Nonwhite	603	613	331	17.0	17.7	26.5
Age, Total	3,550	3,454	1,247	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 45	2,682	2,671	907	75.5	77.3	72.7
Over 45	868	783	340	24.5	22.7	27.3
Industry, Total	3,550	3,454	1,247	100.0	100.0	100.0
Mining	35	41	9	1.0	1.2	0.7
Construction	713	651	146	20.1	18.9	11.7
Manufacturing	974	972	206	27.5	28.1	16.5
Transportation & P.U.	139	163	96	3.9	4.7	7.7
Trade	767	788	256	21.6	22.8	20.5
Finance, Ins. & R.E.	79	80	35	2.2	2.3	2.8
Services	562	545	325	15.8	15.8	26.1
Government	281	214	174	7.9	6.2	14.0
Occupation, Total	3,550	3,454	1,247	100.0	100.0	100.0
Prof. & Managerial	403	407	269	11.4	11.8	21.6
Clerical & Sales	657	680	330	18.5	19.7	26.5
Services	362	323	190	10.2	9.4	15.2
Processing	115	112	51	3.2	3.2	4.1
Machine Trade	232	237	51	6.5	6.9	4.1
Benchwork	498	415	62	14.0	12.0	5.0
Structural Work	925	930	191	26.1	26.9	15.3
Other	358	350	103	10.1	10.1	8.2
Duration of Current Spell of Unemployment-Total	3,550	3,454	1,247	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-2 Weeks	521	579	261	14.7	16.7	20.9
3-4 Weeks	528	434	231	14.9	12.6	18.5
5-14 Weeks	1,344	1,392	412	37.8	40.3	33.1
15 Weeks & Over	1,157	1,049	343	32.6	30.4	27.5

TABLE 8

SELECTED LABOR DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES - STATEWIDE

JOB SERVICE	OCTOBER 1980	SEPTEMBER 1980	OCTOBER 1979	PERCENT CHANGE FROM LAST MONTH	PERCENT CHANGE FROM LAST YEAR
New Job Applicants	NA	3,804	3,795	NA	NA
New Job Applicants Oct. 1 to Date	NA	50,074	3,771	NA	NA
Nonagricultural Job Openings	NA	3,895	6,916	NA	NA
Job Placements Oct. 1, to Date	NA	52,854	6,617	NA	NA
Nonagricultural	NA	50,896	6,434	NA	NA
Agricultural	NA	1,958	183	NA	NA
Applicants Available Oct. 1 to Date	NA	82,160	23,221	NA	NA
Individuals Placed Oct. 1 to Date	NA	30,589	5,146	NA	NA
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE					
STATE PROGRAM					
Initial Claims Monthly Total	2,813	1,802	1,229	+56.1	+128.9
Weeks Claimed Monthly Total	17,054	14,291	5,152	+19.3	+231.0
Initial Claims Oct. 1 to Date	2,813	31,919	1,229	-91.2	+128.9
Weeks Claimed Oct. 1 to Date	17,054	203,157	5,152	-91.6	+231.0
Amount of Benefit Payments	$1,465,051	$1,188,965	$340,627	+23.2	+330.1
Average Weekly Benefit Amount	$95.38*	$94.59*	$91.30	+.8	+4.5
Benefit Payments Oct. 1 to Date	$1,465,051	$16,103,718	$340,627	-90.9	+330.1
Unemployment Trust Fund (in 000's)	$12,018.0	$12,425.2	$15,753.5	-3.3	-23.7
FEDERAL PROGRAM					
Initial Claims Oct. 1 to Date	187	1,902	126	-90.2	+48.4
Weeks Claimed Oct. 1 to Date	836	9,711	148	-91.4	+464.8
Benefit Payments Oct. 1 to Date	$76,921	$1,002,132	$33,260	-92.3	+131.3

* Does not include combined credit.

SOUTH DAKOTA

COUNTY LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES

By

PLANNING AREA

SOUTH DAKOTA DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

RESEARCH AND STATISTICS

	LABOR FORCE			TOTAL UNEMPLOYED			RATE OF UNEMPLOYMENT		
	OCT. 1980	SEPT. 1980	OCT. 1979	OCT. 1980	SEPT. 1980	OCT. 1979	OCT. 1980	SEPT. 1980	OCT. 1979
STATEWIDE	335,588	341,092	340,862	16,401	14,347	8,941	4.9	4.2	2.6
SIOUX FALLS SMSA	56,265	57,040	61,805	2,803	2,580	1,243	5.0	4.5	2.0
RAPID CITY SMSA	42,614	44,039	43,757	2,481	2,095	1,418	5.8	4.8	3.2
PLANNING AREA 1	50,484	52,274	49,021	2,329	2,308	1,230	4.6	4.4	2.5
Brookings	14,251	14,981	12,944	710	685	448	5.0	4.6	3.5
Clark	1,999	2,066	2,024	74	59	36	3.7	2.9	1.8
Codington	10,760	10,995	10,242	583	619	269	5.4	5.6	2.6
Deuel	2,123	2,230	2,193	100	89	35	4.7	4.0	1.6
Grant	4,543	4,770	4,410	176	187	105	3.9	3.9	2.4
Hamlin	2,060	2,080	2,112	55	77	31	2.7	3.7	1.5
Kingsbury	3,668	3,826	3,718	121	92	60	3.3	2.4	1.6
Lake	6,404	6,403	6,148	330	344	167	5.2	5.4	2.7
Miner	1,711	1,834	1,833	101	85	16	5.9	4.6	0.9
Moody	2,955	3,089	3,397	79	71	63	2.7	2.3	1.9
PLANNING AREA 2	83,812	85,759	88,188	4,122	3,735	1,919	4.9	4.4	2.2
Clay	6,098	6,266	6,135	379	354	264	6.2	5.6	4.3
Lincoln	7,212	7,445	6,748	244	243	128	3.4	3.3	1.9
McCook	3,224	3,350	3,182	177	178	71	5.5	5.3	2.2
Minnehaha	56,265	57,040	61,805	2,803	2,580	1,243	5.0	4.5	2.0
Turner	4,715	4,316	4,031	152	130	39	3.6	3.0	1.0
Union	6,838	7,342	6,287	367	250	174	5.4	3.4	2.8
PLANNING AREA 3	46,184	46,613	46,407	1,798	1,535	1,114	3.9	3.3	2.4
Aurora	1,596	1,677	1,736	35	22	19	1.6	1.3	1.1
Bon Homme	4,134	4,150	3,854	155	147	65	3.7	3.5	1.7
Brule	2,907	3,001	3,080	103	92	72	3.5	3.1	2.3
Charles Mix	4,061	4,117	4,130	205	164	101	5.0	4.0	2.5
Davison	9,687	9,730	10,036	396	346	279	4.1	3.6	2.8
Douglas	2,028	2,114	1,991	83	51	20	4.1	2.4	1.0
Gregory	2,657	2,813	2,761	49	81	51	1.8	2.9	1.9
Hanson	1,142	1,193	1,185	52	56	16	4.6	4.7	1.4
Hutchinson	5,014	4,815	4,729	201	166	162	4.0	3.4	3.4
Jerauld	1,470	1,443	1,449	52	20	16	3.5	1.4	1.1
Sanborn	1,375	1,434	1,523	34	27	19	2.5	1.9	1.3
Yankton	10,113	10,126	9,893	443	363	294	4.4	3.6	3.0

These estimates have been adjusted to the CPS (Current Population Survey).
(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	LABOR FORCE			TOTAL UNEMPLOYED			RATE OF UNEMPLOYMENT		
	OCT. 1980	OCT. 1980	SEPT. 1979	OCT. 1980	SEPT. 1980	OCT. 1979	OCT. 1980	SEPT. 1980	OCT. 1979
PLANNING AREA 4	53,355	52,136	53,180	2,524	1,951	1,369	4.7	3.7	2.6
Beadle	10,063	10,133	10,720	488	429	431	4.8	4.2	4.0
Brown	20,311	20,466	20,647	1,105	953	552	5.4	4.7	2.7
Day	3,307	3,293	3,318	137	100	44	4.1	3.0	1.3
Edmunds	2,133	2,096	2,126	89	52	35	4.2	2.5	1.7
[illegible]	3,118	1,428	1,447	152	24	18	4.9	1.7	1.2
[illegible]	2,238	2,271	2,303	70	41	30	3.1	1.8	1.3
McPherson	1,780	1,833	1,869	62	22	20	3.5	1.2	1.1
Marshall	2,085	2,144	2,131	101	71	33	4.8	3.3	1.6
Roberts	4,427	4,479	4,656	238	213	149	5.4	4.8	3.2
Walworth	4,089	3,933	3,963	82	46	57	2.0	1.2	1.4
PLANNING AREA 5	33,500	34,306	34,520	1,869	1,614	999	5.6	4.7	2.9
Buffalo	518	506	522	128	89	73	24.7	17.6	14.0
[illegible]	814	813	883	31	26	15	3.8	3.2	1.7
Corson	1,454	1,504	1,694	126	129	137	8.7	8.6	8.1
Dewey	1,838	1,868	1,891	158	109	84	8.6	5.8	4.4
Haakon	1,524	1,518	1,471	43	22	16	2.8	1.4	1.1
[illegible]	7,936	8,080	7,565	369	321	158	4.6	4.0	2.1
[illegible]	837	870	951	27	27	16	3.2	3.1	1.7
[illegible]	603	642	686	13	14	11	2.2	2.2	1.6
[illegible]	1,378	1,420	1,528	54	40	48	3.9	2.8	3.1
[illegible]	754	817	768	55	67	29	7.3	8.2	3.8
Perkins	2,254	2,356	2,424	83	58	69	3.7	2.5	2.9
[illegible]	2,007	2,088	2,085	61	69	28	3.0	3.3	1.3
[illegible]	1,144	1,124	1,110	52	37	21	4.5	3.3	1.9
[illegible]	674	698	761	19	31	16	2.8	4.4	2.1
Todd	2,146	2,247	2,193	287	235	92	13.4	10.5	4.2
Tripp	3,297	3,341	3,597	88	89	40	2.7	2.7	1.1
Walworth	3,238	3,354	3,421	177	193	105	5.5	5.8	3.1
Ziebach	1,084	1,060	970	98	58	41	9.0	5.5	4.2
PLANNING AREA 6	68,053	70,004	69,546	3,759	3,204	2,310	5.5	4.6	3.3
Bennett	1,228	1,264	1,348	36	33	48	2.9	2.6	3.6
Butte	3,887	3,946	3,959	55	52	44	1.4	1.3	1.1
Custer	2,505	2,577	2,417	97	77	64	3.9	3.0	2.7
Fall River	3,913	4,108	3,989	134	128	56	3.4	3.1	1.4
Harding	600	641	688	10	10	7	1.7	1.6	1.0
Jackson	1,185	1,216	1,312	49	45	42	4.1	3.7	3.2
Lawrence	9,347	9,386	9,164	592	458	364	6.3	4.9	4.0
Meade	9,001	9,356	9,353	319	282	194	3.5	3.0	2.1
Pennington	33,613	34,683	34,404	2,162	1,813	1,224	6.4	5.2	3.6
Shannon	2,774	2,827	2,912	305	306	267	11.0	10.8	9.2